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12. [REDACTED] Talked to Representative William Minshall who said he had gotten further questions about Air America from a constituent in Cleveland and wanted to know what to do about them. I told him to send me copies of the letters and we would provide a suggested reply. 25X1

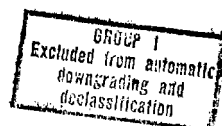
13. [REDACTED] The other day, in response to my request, Tom Moyer, in the General Counsel's office, Civil Service Commission, reported on the status of the Agency's exemption from the Federal Executive Service Legislation: (a) Under S. 1682, agencies may be excluded from the legislation by the President based upon the recommendation of the Civil Service Commission. (b) Under the House Bill, which is still in draft form, the Agency will be granted a specific exemption. I told Moyer that the requirements for Civil Service Commission recommendation for exclusions under the Senate bill was not consistent with other statutes which freed the Agency from similar overview to preserve necessary security, and he agreed. Moyer said that Seymour Berlin, Director, Bureau of Executive Manpower, was committed to a specific exemption in the legislation for CIA and other agencies and would fight for the House version. Moyer also said that certain agencies, such as TVA, had indicated they would fight the bill if they were not given a specific exemption. 25X1

14. [REDACTED] Called the office of Alexander Schnee, Congressional Relations, Department of State, and in his absence, obtained from his secretary, Beth, a copy of the material on the Foreign Assistance Act of 1972 (S. 3390), which State was distributing on the Hill. Apparently, there is no list of senators being contacted; they are just "contacting everybody." 25X1

15. [REDACTED] Met with Rick Parker, Legislative Assistant to Senator John Tower (R., Tex.), concerning the Senator's position on new Section 515 of S. 3390 and gave him our summary and proposed statement package. Later Parker advised that Senator Tower would co-sponsor the Dominick amendment and would use the second statement on the importance of Laos. 25X1

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5. [ ] Representative William Minshall (R., Ohio) called to say a troublesome constituent was asking him about Air America. I suggested he refer her to the Air America office at 1725 K Street.

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6. [ ] CA Staff, called to discuss the case of a young woman who writes for CA Staff on a WAE basis who has been interviewed by Senator Javits' staff in connection with a part-time position involving research for a book that is being written for the Senator on multi-national private investments in Latin America. I told [ ] I could see the potential for some real problems in a situation of this sort and urged her to call it to the attention of the Chief of CA Staff who I presume will discuss it with someone in the DDP's office.

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9. [ ] Senator Henry Jackson (D., Wash.) called and said he would like to get something worked out for briefings of Richard Perle and Dorothy Fosdick, of his Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations staff, on Soviet weapons development. I told him I was quite sure something could be worked out and we would be in touch with these staff members. See Memorandum for the Record.

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